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This communication is an inquiry with respect to the above-identified patent application. This application was filed in on January 8, 2002 and the last correspondence from the PTO was a Notification of Publication of Application dated October 31, 2002. We filed a Status Inquiry on January 13, 2004.

Accordingly, applicants respectfully request notification of the status of this application. If there are any questions, please call the undersigned at the telephone number indicated below.

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